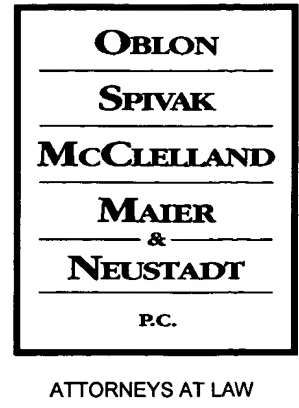




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INCLUDING THE SAME

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Amendment

**Letter Submitting Replacement Drawing Sheet(s)
Replacement Drawing Sheets (3)**

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In response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include three attached replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.